

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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Masao INOUE, et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2005, and pursuant to the Decision on Appeal dated December 3, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. This Amendment is timely filed on Monday, February 04, 2008 (February 3, 2008 being a Sunday).

This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Please note that the RCE is filed together with a Request and payment for a

Suspension of Action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a time period of three (3) months.

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